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Hon. William H. Pauley  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
Daniel Patrick Moynihan Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Richard Lord*  
07 Cr. 554 (WHP)

Dear Judge Pauley:

I am writing to the court to request that the court consider the attached letters which were recently provided to counsel, in determining the appropriate and reasonable sentence for Mr. Lord.

Should the court have any questions or require additional information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours etc.,  
*Edward D. Wilford*

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cc: Jillian Berman, Esq.  
Mr. Richard Lord